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## Senate Bill 940

### An Act Concerning Permits for Filming on Department of Transportation Property

Commerce Committee  
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Senate Bill 940, *"An Act Concerning Permits for Filming on Department of Transportation Property,"* would allow the Department of Transportation (DOT), in collaboration with the Department of Economic and Community Development (DECD), to design and implement a permitting system for persons seeking to film on state property under the custody and control of DOT. The Department of Administrative Services ("DAS") Bureau of Property and Facilities Management supervises the operation and control of many state properties, including buildings and grounds in Hartford and district offices in major urban facilities, as well as the Governor's Residence. Periodically, DAS receives requests from filmmakers seeking to film on property under DAS control.

Accordingly, should this proposal move forward, DAS would like to meet with the proponents to discuss whether it is appropriate to expand this bill to cover a process for permitting filming on property under DAS control as well as DOT property.

Thank you for your consideration of DAS's views regarding this bill. Please feel free to contact Terrence Tulloch-Reid if you have any questions.